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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALAN, 11 & 13, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOSCH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES, HERBY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL, DRACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—LEON DE ROSNY, 19, Rue Montevideo, Paris.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 189, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOSCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLISS, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.—SAYLE & Co., Equine, Singapore. C. HEINZEL & Co., Manila.

CHINA.—Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co. Swatow, CAMPBELL & Co. Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLS & Co. Foochow, HEDDERLEY & Co. Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Banks.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, £200,000.
RESERVE FUND, £100,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, £1,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—The Hon. W. K. WATSON.
Deputy Chairman.—A. MOYER, Esq.

ADOLPH FIDLER, Esq. H. DE O. FORBES, Esq.
R. H. FILLIS, Esq. H. HOFFMANN, Esq.
H. L. DALLMEYER, Esq. F. D. SASSON, Esq.
W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGERS.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Shanghai, EWEN CAMERON, Esq.
London, BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposits—Account at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credit granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th April, 1863.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £25,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, £250,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue Brochez, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:

LONDON, BOURBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MANILA, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCOW, MELBOURNE.

LONDON BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. YUILLEMON, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per Annum.
" 6 " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHANN NICOLAUS GOOS.

MANN is authorized to Sign Bills of LADING in our Name.

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, November 29, 1880. d29

For Sale.

JOHN NOBLE,

8, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

HAS just RECEIVED a Very Fine SELECTION OF

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in the latest and most Fashionable Designs including many NOVELTIES in

DIAMOND BRACELETS, PENDANTS, BROOCHES, EAR-RINGS, AND GEM RINGS.

Also, A Large and Well Selected STOCK of MODERN Gold and SILVER PEN and PENCIL CASES, comprising the Latest Patented Patterns.

Hongkong, December 11, 1880.

FOR SALE.

EX SHAW'S BRANDY, First Quality.

Second Quality.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, October 22, 1880. d22

FOR SALE.

MULLER FRERES' CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY, in Cases of 1 dozen Qts.

Apply to HESSE & Co. Sole Agents. Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880. 1ja81

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.00.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW," By E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 8, 1879.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, £16 per doz. Case, 12 bottles, £17 per doz. Case.

GIRL, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office.—Price, 1/6 each.

CHINA MAIL Office.

To Let.

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THE DWELLING HOUSE—No. 31, VICTORIA STREET.

ROOMS IN CHAMBERS, suitable for Office or Chambers.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1880.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Godowns to be let.

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1880. 1ja1

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Djinnah.

S F (in triangle), Order, 60 bags Sharp Stones, from Madras.

Ex Oulu.

T W (in triangle), 1800, Order, 30 cases Yellow Metal, from London.

J (in triangle), 1784, 1818/3, Order, 6 cases Cottons, from London.

A E M, Order, 245 bags Sharp Stones, from Madras.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, December 16, 1880.

For Sale.

CHRISTMAS 1880.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

TABLE DELICACIES AND FANCY ARTICLES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

Our Stock for the PRESENT SEASON is now Complete and Ready for Inspection, comprising:

PLUM PUDDINGS, MINCEMEAT, CHRISTMAS CAKES, BISCUITS, FRUITS in SYRUP, NOYEAU and BRANDY, IMPERIAL PLUMS, FRESH MUSCATELS, SMYRNA FIGS, CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS, JORDAN ALMONDS, CURRANTS, &c., &c.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS, OX-TONGUES in JELLY, SPICED, SMOKED and COLLARED, GALANTINE of GAME, RUSSIAN CAVIAR, HAM and CHICKEN PATE, &c., &c.

PRIME STILTON CHEESE and YORK HAMS.

D R A G E E S.

FANCY CHOCOLATES AND SWEETS.

All the Latest GOSQUES, viz.:—City of London; Sisters, Cousins' and Aunt's; The Emperor; The Surprise; Magic Sun Flower; The Caricature; Our Favorite Poets; 18th Century; Children's Calico Ball; Baskets with Holly Magic, &c.; Magic Flowers, &c., &c.

TOYS in Endless Variety.

PARLOUR CURLING POND—THE NEW GAME.

PHOTO FRAMES, ALBUMS, COROMANDEL INKSTANDS, DRESSING CASES, WORK BASKETS, GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, NEW PLUSH BAGS, SCENT CASES, CARD CASES, BLOTTERS, BRONZED CARD STAND, EIQUEUR STANDS, TOILET MIRRORS, CIGAR CASES, &c., &c.

CHRISTMAS and BIRTHDAY CARDS. GIFT BOOKS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1880. 1ja1

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE just Received a Quantity of Very ELEGANT PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES, Illuminated PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, and CASES.

Oliver Wood WRITING CASES and Other GOODS.

Patent Everlasting PENS.

A New Assortment of CHRISTMAS CARDS.

New Fine Art GOODS.

A Large Selection of CHRISTMAS JUVENILE BOOKS, beautifully illustrated.

MOROCCO GLOVE & HANDKERCHIEF SETS.

New Illustrated Edition "Campeau's Lusitania."

Read's "Japan," beautifully illustrated.

Miss Bird's "Japan," beautifully illustrated.

McGibbon's "Scenes from Ireland."

Dagblat's "British Dogs."

Fowler's "Locks."

Hongkong, December 14, 1880.

ROSE & Co.

HAVE Received their Usual Well Selected STOCK OF WINTER GOODS and NOVELTIES FOR THE SEASON.

COMPRISING:—

BED and TABLE LINEN, CRETONNES, SILK SATIN, VELVET, and VELVETEENS in Various Shades.

CLOTH and CHENILLE MANTLES.

CLOTH, SERGES, REIGES, CASHMERE, SPONGE, and JERSEY.

WRAPS, SILK, WOOL, and CHENILLE SCARVES.

Ladies' and Children's HATS.

FLOWERS, FEATHERS, and FANCY WINGS.

WOOLLEN GOODS for Children.

Knitted DRESSES.

Gent's HOSIERY. Christy's FELT HATS.

Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES.

Hendrie's and Atkinson's WERFUMERY.

FRENCH, ENGLISH, and GERMAN TOYS.

FEEDING DOLLS. ROCKING HORSES.

VELOCIPEDE HORSES. TREE ORNAMENTS.

COSQUES.

CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR CARDS.

BRONZE and TERRA COTTA STATUES.

ALBUMS, BOOKS, MUSICAL BOXES, LADIES' COMPANIONS, BAGS, BASKETS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, December 8, 1880. 1ja1

To Let.

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ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 26, 1879.

COAL GODOWNS—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 56 and 58A, PRATA EAST, with Private Wharf.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A and 113, WANCHI ROAD.

Apply to SIEMSEN & Co. Hongkong, September 13, 1880.

TO LET.

FIRST FLOOR and GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, Prata East (known as the BURN HOUSE). Possession on the 1st of October.

Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI PIER, Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 ROOMS, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on. Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. Naval Storekeeper to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 28th Dec., 1880, at Noon, at H.M. Naval Yard,

OLD SUNDRY Condemned Naval Victualling, Transport and Medical STORES, comprising:—

Old Iron, Iron Nails, Hoses, Airing Stoves, Lenses, Tent Poles, Canvas Bags, Old Glass, Lignum Vite, Chocolate, Biscuit Dusk, Cook's Fat, Clothing and Implements.

TWO 60-Horse-Power BOILERS (New), at Kowloon.

TERMS of SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Dec. 16, 1880. d28

TO LET.

N O. 3, Holtzwood Road, containing Eight Rooms and Out-Houses.

Apply to DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 26, 1879.

Intimations.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 127.

CHINA SEA.

SWATOW DISTRICT.

BREAKER POINT LIGHT HOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the LIGHT on BREAKER POINT was exhibited for the first time at Sunset on the 8th December, 1880.

The Illuminating Apparatus is a First Order Dioptric Osculating Light, alternately showing for eight seconds, and suddenly disappearing for two seconds. It shows white from S. 55° W.—faded by W. to N. 53° E., and red in shore of both those bearings as far as 1 mile. The bearings are magnetic and taken from seawards.

The Light is elevated 162 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather it should be visible at a distance of 19 nautical miles.

The Tower is round, of iron, 91 feet high, with a total height from its base to the lantern of 120 feet.

The Tower is painted in black and white horizontal bands, and the Dwellings and Boundary Wall white.

Approximate position—Lat. N. 22° 56' 30" Lo. E. 116° 28' 10"

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs,

DAVID M. HENDERSON, Engineer-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Shanghai, 9th December, 1880. 1ja9

WANTED, Employment by the ADVERTISER. Has had several Years experience in BOOK-KEEPING and ACCOUNTS. Address "VERITAS," China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 18, 1880.

LOST.—This Afternoon, a GOLD BRACELET (Chinese-make, with CASH), between the SEAG FORT and the Government Warehouse. The Finder will oblige by returning the same to Signora MILANI VELA, Stag Hotel, and will be Rewarded, if necessary.

Ho: kong, December 15, 1880.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 27th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. BRADLEY SMITH, Secretary.

Hongkong, December 18, 1880. 1ja1

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 21st instant until the 4th Proximo, both days included.

A. NEWTON, Manager.

Hongkong, December 9, 1880. 1ja4

KONSULAT DES DEUTSCHEN REICHES IN AMOY.

NOTIFICATION.

THE German sailing vessel "ALFRED HERMAN" having been plundered in the year 1881 at the coast of Cape of Good Hope by the inhabitants of that locality, and the Imperial Government of China having on this account paid to the Imperial German Government the sum of Four thousand Dollars.

Persons who have sustained any loss of property by the above mentioned plundering of the ship "ALFRED HERMAN" are hereby invited to send in Applications, properly substantiated, to the Imperial Consulate at Amoy not later than the 1st OCTOBER, 1881.

Amoy, the 2nd December, 1880.

V. AICHBERGER, Imperial German Consul.

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THE "FAR EAST."

THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED.

Apply at this OFFICE.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE.

D. B. ROGERS has returned, and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS at his Rooms, the First-floor of the premises lately occupied by the National Bank of India.

Hongkong, December 7, 1880.

CARD.

M. A. HAHN'S DANCING CLASS has been Re-opened on the 1st October.

Fischer's Buildings, No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Mr. Andrew Wind.

News Agent, &c.

130, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK.

is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail, Overland

Do.	1 P.M....	80.804
Do.	4 P.M....	80.316
Do.	4 P.M....	80.386
Thermometer	9 A.M....	58
Do.	1 P.M....	57
Do.	4 P.M....	57
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	49
Do.	Do. 1 P.M.	53
Do.	Do. 4 P.M.	53
Do.	Maximum	57
Do.	Minimum over night	51

Mails.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.
STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUER, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, NAPLES, AND
MARSEILLES;
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND
PORT LOUIS.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 22nd December, 1880, at Noon, the Company's S.S. *AMAZON*, Commandant LORIMER, with MAIL, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal ports of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Passes until 3 p.m. on the 21st December, 1880. (Passes are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, December 9, 1880. de22

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE; VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE S.S. *OCEANO* will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, 28th December, 1880, at 3 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan ports.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. of the 27th December.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing.

A Reduction of 25% will be made on all Return Passage Orders issued.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Office addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, Jr.,
Agent.

Hongkong, December 14, 1880. de28

INSURANCES.

Insurances.

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....£420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE.....£220,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....£263,268
TOTAL CAPITAL AND RESERVE.....£903,268

INCORPORATED, 8th April, 1880.

Directors:
F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.
W. M. BOYD, Esq., W. MEYERINK, Esq.,
J. H. FINKEVOS, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.,
Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.
Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH:
Messrs BARKING BROTHERS & Co.,
Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,
68 and 69, Cornhill.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12% for Interest on shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 1, 1880. 10681

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underinsured are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, terms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, HONGKONG.

Position of the Company at the close of the last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....£1,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP.....£300,000
RESERVE FUND.....£425,000
BALANCE UNDIVIDED.....£70,278.43
DIVIDEND PAID TO SHAREHOLDERS.....20% per Annum.
DIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSINESS, 25% on the amount of their Contributions.

THE Company grants Policies on MARINE Risks to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies.

Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSINESS WHETHER THEY ARE SHAREHOLDERS OR NOT.

B. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, August 13, 1880.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1800.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underinsured, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against FIRE, to the extent of £100,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underinsured, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant INSURANCE at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER of His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Underinsured having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £100,000

Reserve Fund £120,000

Annual Income £250,000

THE Underinsured are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of *Notes & Queries* on China and Japan, has induced the publisher of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or *Notes and Queries on the Far East*, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c.; should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Literature, Geography, History, Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelago and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number.

Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a translation in each number of the contents of the most important Chinese journals. Great attention is also paid to the Review department.

Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or *Queries*), as also those *Queries* which are being asked for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the *Queries* proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The *China Review* for July and August, 1876, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our inquiries are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. It is a very interesting and valuable work, and is a valuable addition to the *China Review*—Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.).

Fraser's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the *China Review*:—"This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong. It is a very interesting and valuable work, and is a valuable addition to the *China Review*—Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)."

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